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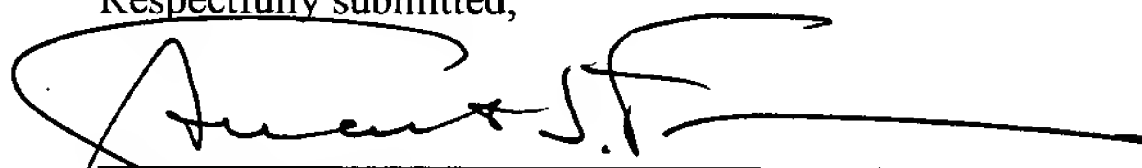
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Honorable Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicant hereby reiterates the claim for priority, originally made in the parent PCT Application PCT/GB00/01001, filed March 17, 2000, based on Great Britain Application No. 9906066.7, filed March 18, 1999. A certified copy of the priority Great Britain application will be filed as soon as it is received.

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